

**Operation SPOT, Inc
Annual Report 2014**

Mission Statement

“To end the unnecessary euthanasia of dogs and cats in St. Louis and surrounding areas.”

Program Accomplishments

Since 1996, Operation SPOT has provided over 37,000 free or low-cost spay/neuter procedures to the pets of low-income and under-served families in St. Louis and seven surrounding counties. We have also initiated public information programs about responsible pet ownership, produced and distributed these educational materials through community partners.

“TenSPOT Fix” Program

This program is held twice a year, spring and fall, and has been able to spay/neuter approximately 1000 dogs and cats at each event. We have 13-15 veterinary partners who perform the procedures in their clinics. They charge the public \$10 for the procedure, OpSPOT reimburses them a reduced fee per procedure.

“909-VETS” Program

This is a free referral service provided by Operation SPOT for veterinary clinics pledged to perform a certain number of affordable spay/neuter procedures to the public annually. Pet owners call 314-909-VETS for list of participating clinics.

“Free Straw for Warm Paws”

As part of our educational efforts, each winter we provide seven area animal controls with free straw, dog houses and cold weather tips information to distribute in their community.

“OpSPOT Waggin” Mobile Spay/Neuter Clinic Program

The “Waggin” is a state of the art mobile surgery unit which can travel to under-served communities where the need is greatest for affordable spay/neuter. We work with community partners to find a suitable location in their community for the program, advertise the program, and help procure funding to provide the lowest possible price to pet owners. The “Waggin” started in the fall of 2011 with a program in north St. Louis City.

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48,543.43

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80.57

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\$142,725.98

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85,240.40

Financial Information 2013

Income:

Contributions & Grants

Membership Dues

Sales Items

Event Participation

Income from S/N Waggin'

Interest

Expenses

Programs (74%)

Administration (12%)

13,395.26
(14%) 16,694.98

Fundraising

\$115,330.64

End of Year Assets

\$92,238.00

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